Coal royalty to Jharkhand

2577. MSS. MABEL REBELLO: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the total quantity of coal which is being excavated from Jharkhand annually;

(b) the total quantity of it which is sent out of the State annually;

(c) the amount of royalty Jharkhand gets annually; and

(d) the figures for the last five years, year-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL (DR. DASARI NARAYANA RAO): (a) and (b) The total quantity of raw coal production and despatch in Jharkhand during the last three years is given below:

(In million tonnes)

Year	Production	Despatch
2003-04	79.526	78.882
2004-05	78.038	76.605
2005-06	85.423	79.669

(c) and (d) The amount of royalty paid to Jharkhand by Coal India Limited and Singareni Collieries Company Limited during the last five years is given below:—

(Rs. in crores)

Year	Amount of Royalty
2002-03	649.89
2003-04	743.14
2004-05	735.36
2005-06	781.41
2006-07(Upto Dec. 06)	410.14 (Provisional)